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In re Application of

Hirofumi Ando

Application No. 09/613,426

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ON PETITION

This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed November 1, 2004, to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

This application became abandoned for failure to timely reply to the final Office action mailed April 28, 2004.

The application is revived for consideration of a submission under 37 CFR 1.114 (request for continued examination).

Telephone inquiries concerning this decision should be directed to the undersigned at (571) 272-3204.

The application file is being forwarded to Technology Center AU 2622, for further processing of the request for continued examination under 37 CFR 1.114 filed November 1, 2004.

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